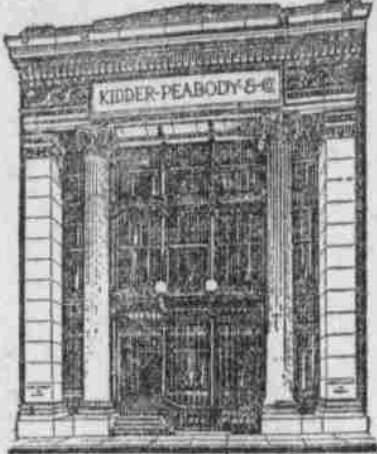


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Boston Shooting Case Puzzles Them a Little.

Boston, Nov. 2.—William H. Davidson, an inventor of note, died at the city hospital early yesterday morning from the effects of a bullet wound inflicted Monday at his home, 39 Barry street, Dorchester. His wife is said to have admitted to the police that the revolver with which he was shot was in her hands at the time of the shooting.

Mrs. Davidson claimed that the shooting was accidental. According to her story her husband had laid the weapon on the table, preparatory to cleaning it. Not knowing that it was loaded, she picked it up and held it above her head.

"Be careful, Lizzie," cried her husband. As he spoke he grasped her arm and thus lowered the gun, which was discharged, the bullet piercing his right temple. The case has perplexed the authorities and an inquest will be held.

Davidson was 44 years old and for several years had been working on a device which he expected would bring him a large fortune.

Chief Dugan of the bureau of criminal investigation said yesterday that he was satisfied that Davidson's death was by accident. He said he would conduct no further investigation.

HURDLE OVER THE TOMBS.

"Spooks" Break Up Young Women's Party in a Cemetery.

Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—"Spooks" for more than an hour Monday night caused consternation at a Halloween party given by Miss Camille Walker in Woodlands cemetery. Miss Walker's father is president of the cemetery company, and she conceived the idea that it would be "just grand" for the younger set to hold their party among the tombstones.

While in the midst of the "witch scene" from "Macbeth," in which some of the younger women appeared, the "spooks" arrived. The dance was broken up for the time being, and the groups made a wild dash for the Walker home, which stands in the middle of the cemetery. The young women took the tombstones as they would hurdles in their haste to reach the house. Later the party was continued, but the festivities were confined to the house. The "spooks," who, it is believed, were persons who objected to a Halloween dance in the cemetery, departed after stopping the festivities.

COL. COLT WON'T RUN.

Declines to Be Candidate to Succeed Aldrich in the Senate.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 2.—Col. Samuel Pomeroy Colt, in a statement issued yesterday, declined to be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the United States Senate, to succeed Senator Nelson W. Aldrich.

Col. Colt is president of the United States Rubber company. He was a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator in 1908, but was defeated by Senator George Peabody Wetmore of Newport.

HOW HAPPY THE WORD 'CUTICURA' SOUNDS TO ME

For It Cured My Baby of Itching, Torturing Eczema. First Came when Between 3 and 4 Weeks Old. Used Everything Imaginable. 2 Cakes Soap and One Box Ointment Cured.

"I can't tell in words how happy the word 'Cuticura' sounds to me, for it cured my baby of itching, torturing eczema. It first came when she was between three and four weeks old, appearing on her head. I used everything imaginable and had one doctor's bill after another but nothing cured it. Then the eczema broke out so badly behind her ear that I nearly thought I was going to lose her. For months I doctored it but to no avail. Then I began at her nose and her eyes were nothing but sores. I had to keep her in a dark room for two weeks. The doctor did no good, so I stopped him coming.

"For about two weeks I had used Cuticura Soap for her every day, then I got a box of Cuticura Ointment and began to use that. In a week there was a marked improvement. In all I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and my baby was cured of the sores. This was last November; now her hair is growing out nicely and she has not a scar on her face. I can not praise Cuticura enough. I can take any child anywhere and people are amazed to see her without a sore. From the time she was four weeks old until she was three years she was never without the terrible eruption but now, thanks to Cuticura, I have a healthy child.

Mrs. H. E. Housholder, 2004 Wilbur St., Baltimore, Md., May 10, 1910.

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SHIPS CRUISE TO EUROPE

The Fleet Sails on Thursday—Biggest Vessels of American Navy Will Carry Bluejackets on Journey Abroad.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Early last summer the navy department announced it would send its battleship fleet on a winter cruise to the Mediterranean. Lest the peace of nations might be disturbed by the advent of 16 of the newest battleships, with destroyers, colliers and supply ships, the navy department looks upon it as a duty to make it clear that the projected expedition was wholly to enable thousands of young bluejackets to look upon those ancient shores.

Cholera broke out in several seaports of the Mediterranean and it was announced that the Mediterranean cruise had been abandoned. A new itinerary came to Rear Admiral Schroeder, commanding the Atlantic fleet, and he has made it known in a general order. The armada will rendezvous at sea Nov. 3, and then, led by the flagship Connecticut, will jog along toward the English channel.

"Upon approaching the English channel," the order reads, "signal will be made, whereupon the second division, composed of the Louisiana, Kansas, South Carolina and New Hampshire, will proceed to Cherbourg. The third division, comprising the Minnesota, Vermont, Mississippi and Idaho, will proceed to Gravesend. The fourth division, consisting of the Georgia, Nebraska, Rhode Island and Virginia, will rendezvous at Brest. The first division, composed of the flagship, Connecticut, the Delaware and North Dakota, and the battleship Michigan, will go to Weymouth.

"On Dec. 8, the first division will sail from Weymouth for Cherbourg, and the second division from Cherbourg for Weymouth each so timing its movements as to reach destinations on the same day. The third division will go from Gravesend to Brest, exchanging places with the fourth division, which goes from Brest to Cherbourg."

The general order issued by Rear Admiral Schroeder says: "While in these ports leave will be given to all men who desire it, to enable them to visit Paris and London if they so desire. It is suggested that they be sent in four parties, each having four days' leave."

After the night-seeing the fleet will meet at sea, being N. lat. 48 deg. 30 min., W. lon. 7 deg. The time is set for the afternoon watch of Dec. 31, New Year's eve.

MOSELEY'S SCOREBOARD.

Giving List of Papers Which Failed to Appoint Agents.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 2.—A scoreboard has been added to the equipment of the interstate commerce commission for the benefit of railroad companies which have failed to comply with the section of the new railroad law requiring them to appoint agents in Washington upon which notices can be served.

Under the old law notices were served through the registry department of the post office. The new law says that notices shall be served on the Washington agent or, where there is no agent, shall be posted in the office of the secretary of the interstate commerce commission.

When this provision of the law went into effect a few days ago, a mammoth blackboard was attached to the wall in the hallway near the entrance to Secretary Moseley's office. It has been adorned with notices of orders affecting over 150 railroads, which have failed to appoint local representatives. The only big system in the list is the Erie. Somebody on the Erie "forgot" and the lapse resulted. Word was sent to the commission, however, that the company would designate an agent without delay.

There are 1,800 railroad companies in the country and of these 1,900 have appointed agents. The other 800 mostly very small lines, seem willing to let their notices go to the score board.

AMERICAN GIRL KIDNAPED.

Armed Men In Pursuit of Two Mexican Desperadoes.

Mexico City, Nov. 2.—Armed men are now in close pursuit of two men who kidnaped Grace Rolph, 16 years old, from a ranch near Chioy, Tamaulipas, on Wednesday.

Miss Rolph is a daughter of Dr. B. M. Rolph of Pender, Neb. Consul Miller of Tampico has reported that Segundo Sclero and Leandro Mendez, desperate men, robbed a safe, kidnaped the girl and fled.

Dr. Rolph and friends are now in pursuit. The kidnapers joined friends with whom they are headed for Tuxtepec, Vera Cruz. Consul Miller has asked that rurales be sent. He says a clash is probable.

The fate of the girl is in doubt.

MOTHER SUES DAUGHTER.

Gets Damages Because Girl Wooed Stepfather Away from Wife.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Johanna Husselmann was awarded \$9,800 damages from her daughter, the wife of Dr. Wilhelm Becker, in the circuit court, in a \$25,000 alienation of affection suit of mother against daughter.

Mrs. Husselmann and Dr. Becker were married in 1900. She was then 46. He was 31. She had two daughters. One of them was Mrs. Hattie Bott, 26. Mrs. Bott was then living in St. Paul. Her husband was Dr. Henry C. Bott.

Shortly after the marriage, Mrs. Bott came to Milwaukee to visit at the home of her mother and her new stepfather. The result was that on September 20, 1905, Mrs. Becker and her husband separated. On November 3, 1906, Mrs. Becker got a divorce, resuming the name of Husselmann.

On November 9, 1906, Mrs. Bott began the suit for divorce from Dr. Bott. She got the divorce November 24, 1907. Five days later, according to testimony, Mrs. Bott and her stepfather were married.

The mother said that her daughter "willfully, maliciously and wickedly" gained the affections of Dr. Becker and sought to entice him to desert his wife.

WROTE THAT SHE WOULD DROWN

Nurse Disappears, Leaving a Note Saying That She Would Seek a Water-ery Grave.

New York, Nov. 2.—Members of life saving stations at Coney Island are searching for the body of Miss Minnie Kistler, a nurse, who disappeared from her home at 609 Lexington avenue, this city, Monday afternoon, and who sent a letter to her sister, intimating that she would end all her troubles in the ocean at the beach resort.

Miss Sophie Kistler, sister of the missing woman, called at the East Fifty-first street station house and asked the police to make a search. The letter, which was mailed from Coney Island, is as follows:

Dear Sister—I cannot live the way I am doing. Enclosed is the key to my trunk. What is there is yours. The only thing that comforts me is that you will have the insurance money. Will you pay Mrs. Conover for the six weeks' board, \$16.50, and Jessie \$2.40? This struggle is enough to make anybody do things that almost seem impossible. I imagine my grave will be a watery one. I've found the end of my rope. God always forgives the things we do. Perhaps I shall see you before I mail this letter.

Mrs. H. G. Conover, who conducts a nurses' home at 686 Lexington avenue, said Miss Kistler left her place at 3:30 p. m., Monday and had not returned.

Miss Sophie Kistler said her sister took a course in nursing at the Montclair (N. J.) hospital. She also said that she had two brothers living in New York.

Dr. Arthur E. Bretz of 616 Madison avenue is helping Miss Sophie Kistler to fill out the description blank in the station said the missing woman was suffering from indigestion and nervousness.

WILL MAKE McDONALD RICH.

Concessions in Haiti Granted an American Railroad Builder.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 2.—A modern railroad system will soon let the light of civilization into the interior of Haiti, where voodooism has ruled for years. A message received by the state department announced that the construction of the system was begun at Gonaves with imposing ceremonies on October 3, 1910. The railroad will be 400 miles in length and will touch every port in Haiti. It will be constructed by James P. McDonald of New York. McDonald will get, as a concession, land extending 12 miles on each side of the railroad for a distance of 200 miles. This includes the Artibonite valley, which has a soil of remarkable fertility. He has already been approached with offers by men who desire to lease 300,000 acres for banana growing and Cuban capitalists who desire 100,000 acres for sugar.

ACADEMY LOSES APPLE MAN.

Charles Treadwell, Who Drove Bull as Horse, Dies at Exeter.

Exeter, N. H., Nov. 2.—Charles Treadwell, aged 75, one of the best known characters of the academy town, died at his home Monday, after a brief illness. He was known to the students of Phillips Exeter as "John, the Orange Man," from his long-time selling apples to the boys, coming into their dormitories nightly.

Mr. Treadwell early learned the engraver's trade in Boston, but came back to his farm here, where he did much of the farm work with cows and bulls. It was his favorite feat to drive to town in a two-wheeled cart drawn by a bull harnessed horse fashion.

MORE LIBERTY GIVEN TO JEWS.

Privilege Granted to Reside in Districts Which Have Been Forbidden.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 2.—Emperor Nicholas yesterday approved a resolution adopted by the cabinet, opening up new sections for the residence of Jews. Heretofore legal residence of Jews has been restricted to that section of the Polish provinces and the Ukraine delimited by the original Jewish segregation law and known as "the pale." From time to time exceptions have been made in the use of scholars and Jews engaged in certain professions and trades. Recently a campaign was made to drive back within the pale all Jews who were unable to establish a legal right of residence outside its confines.

Imperial consent is now given to unrestricted residence of Jews in twelve districts in the provinces of Vitebsk, Valhynia, Mohilev, Poltava and Kerson, and the town of Yelaterinodar, the capital of Kuban. The places affected are suburbs of towns within which Jews have already been permitted to live.

The action of the cabinet resulted from petitions of the inhabitants of the newly opened localities, who desired the admission of Jewish residents as a means of improving local business conditions.

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Most shoes sold to-day cost more than they are worth, because they pass through so many hands before they reach the wearer.

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Endicott, Johnson & Company have cut out these four profits.

Buying their hides at first hand they have cut out the Hide Trust's profit.

By tanning the hides in their own tanneries they have cut out the Leather Trust's profit and the leather jobber's profit.

And by selling Endicott, Johnson shoes direct to retailers they have cut out the shoe jobber's profit.

Endicott, Johnson & Company is the only shoe firm in the world that tans its own leather and has established this direct line from "Hide to Retailer."

By cutting out these four profits they can save you from 50c. to \$1.00 on every pair of shoes you buy—and they give you leathers that you simply cannot buy in other shoes at any price.

Just as an instance of what Endicott, Johnson & Company can do—and does do—for hundreds and thousands of buyers and wearers of shoes, look at the ENDWELL line.

Here is a men's shoe for street and business wear that retails for \$3.00 \$3.50 and \$4.00. It looks worth double the money—and wears even better than it looks.

It has style—line and proportion.

It is comfortable and easy to the foot—soft and elastic—"glovey," as the leather expert calls it.

Endicott, Johnson & Company employ some of the finest shoe designing talent in the world.

You can get ENDWELL shoes in high cut and low cut models—lace or button—in a dozen lasts, with narrow, medium or broad toes—and in black, gun metal, Russia, brown, wine or tan leather.

You can have your choice of "Forest Oak" soles, tanned by the old-process straight oak tannage; or of "Kromelk" soles, the wonderful new chrome tanned sole leather that outwears other soles at least two to one.

"Kromelk" soles are not an experiment. Their wearing qualities are a matter of fact—not of theory.

They have proved themselves in practical wear on more than a million pairs of Endicott-Johnson shoes.

The "Kromelk" process was invented and perfected by Endicott, Johnson & Co.

It is their exclusive property. It has never been duplicated—and it is today the only chrome tannage for sole leathers that is successful and practical in fact, as well as in name.

"ENDWELL" shoes are so named because they carry out the promise of their youth to an honorable old age.

You know how it is with the average shoes you buy—how well they look at the start and how poorly they finish. How soon the soles

begin to go, the heels run down, the vamps stretch and pull out of shape and the uppers yawn around the ankles—the leather loses its finish, gets rough, so that the more you polish it the worse it looks—the shoes dry harsh and stiff after a wetting.

"ENDWELL" shoes outwear any shoe you ever wore at equal prices—and keep their shape and hold their finish to the end.

In the Endicott-Johnson tanneries every lot of leather is tanned with an eye to the kind of shoes that are to be made of it, and the special service they are to give.

The people of the United States wore Millions of Dollars' worth of Endicott-Johnson shoes last year.

Ask any man who has ever worn a pair of ENDWELL Shoes. He will tell you that buying shoes independent of all trusts means better shoes at a lower price. It means honest leather. It means cutting out useless profits and putting the difference into your own pocket.

Have you voted yet on having ENDWELL shoes sold in this town?

Have you given your voice and moral support to the retail shoe dealer who ought to have the opportunity?

If you have not—fill out the coupon and send it to Endicott, Johnson & Co., Endicott, N. Y.

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MEMBERS CAMPAIGNING.
And So No Meeting of Cabinet Was Held Yesterday.
Washington, Nov. 2.—The lack of a quorum caused the abandonment of the regular Tuesday session of the cabinet yesterday. Three members of President Taft's official family already are out campaigning, two members are absent from the country, one started for the Ohio campaign yesterday afternoon and another goes to-day.
By Friday, the date for the next meeting of the cabinet, only Postmaster General Hitchcock and Secretary of the Interior Ballinger are expected to be in the city.

PASSES THE THOUSAND MARK.
Big Game Shipments Through Bangor Unusually Large This Fall.
Bangor, Me., Nov. 2.—Shipments of deer through this city since the opening of the season of big game in this state have now passed the 1,000 mark, making an unusually large total for so early in the year. Up to yesterday morning the number of deer reported by the game wardens here was 1,016, with 18 moose and 17 bears. The majority of the deer consigned to parties outside of the state have been to Massachusetts sportsmen, who are in the Maine woods this year in larger number than ever before.



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